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DOE SEEKS APPLICANTS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT SITE-SPECIFIC ADVISORY BOARD

Piketon, Ohio – The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) is seeking applicants to fill membership vacancies on the Environmental Management (EM) Site-Specific Advisory Board (SSAB) at the Portsmouth Gaseous Diffusion Plant. The SSAB serves to involve stakeholders more directly in DOE cleanup decisions and provides recommendations to the Department on its EM Program in Piketon, Ohio.

The SSAB members are appointed for a two-year term that may be extended for two additional terms with a maximum term of six years. All SSAB members serve between ten to twenty hours per month, which includes attending SSAB and committee meetings, reading background materials and documents, and participating in training, tours, etc. The SSAB meets approximately more than twelve times a year. Applicants will be selected to reflect a full diversity of views, cultures, and demographics from the affected communities and regions. All members selected to serve on the SSAB will also be evaluated according to conflict-of-interest principles in order to maintain the integrity of the Board's mission.

The DOE EM SSABs may provide advice and recommendations concerning the following EM site-specific issues: clean-up standards and environmental restoration; waste management and disposition; stabilization and disposition of non-stockpile nuclear materials; excess facilities; future land use and long term stewardship; risk assessment and management; and clean-up science and technology activities.

Application forms are available in the SSAB office at 1862 Shyville Road, Room 115, Piketon, Ohio or online at: www.ports-ssab.org. Application forms must be received by no later than October 16, 2009.

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